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E.O. 11652:N/A

TAGS: MNUC, PARM, KS, FR

SUBJECT: KOREAN REPROCESSING PLANT PURCHASE - REVISED

PRESS GUIDANCE

REF: STATE 021130

1. FINAL QUESTION AND ANSWER OF PRESS GUIDANCE CONTAINED  
REFTEL HAS BEEN REVISED AS FOLLOWS:

QUOTE

QUESTION: WHAT IS THE U.S. POSITION ON THE SALE OF  
NUCLEAR REPROCESSING PLANTS?

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ANSWER: THE USG BELIEVES THAT NATIONAL REPROCESSING

PRESENTS SPECIAL RISKS FROM THE PROLIFERATION STANDPOINT  
AND STRONGLY FAVORS THE CAREFUL EXPLORATION OF ALTERNA-  
TIVES SUCH AS MULTINATIONAL-REPROCESSING CENTERS IN  
APPROPRIATE CASES. UNQUOTE

2. REPROCESSING QUESTION WAS NOT RAISED AT JAN 28 BRIEF-  
ING. KISSINGER

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